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FM AMEMBASSY KUWAIT

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AMEMBASSY BEIRUT

AMEMBASSY DOHA

AMEMBASSY JIDDA

AMEMBASSY MANAMA

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BEIRUT FOR LEFEAVER

FROM JOHN WILSON

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: BEXP, KU, QA

SUBJ: WATER RESOURCES TRADE MISSION

REF: KUWAIT 0870

1. ADVANCEMAN WILSON AND REO HAVE ARRIVED AT FOLLOW-
ING BUDGET FOR DOHA PORTION SUBJECT MISSION:

PROMOTION (S AND E)

ROUNDTRIP AIRFARE KUWAIT-DOHA, REO	\$122
ROUNDTRIP AIRFARE KUWAIT-DOHA, COMM ASST	122
PERDIEM, REO; 8 X 46	368
PER DIEM, COMM ASST; 5 1/4 X 46	242
TAXIS AND MISC, REO AND COMM ASST	30
BIC RENTAL QR 300	80
SECRETARIAL SERVICES 3 X \$15	45
DIRECTOR'S SUITE 2 X \$55	110
MISCELLANEOUS	31
TOTAL	\$1150

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HOSPITALITY (SMF)

TRANSPORTATION (THREE CARS)	\$ 85
LUNCHEON RECEPTION (65 PERSONS)	600
PRINTING INVITATIONS	20
REFRESHMENTS (BOC)	60
TIPS	20
TOTAL	\$785

(THREE CARS SUFFICIENT SINCE DISTANCES SHORT.)X

2. DUE THINNESS EMBASSY DOHA STAFF (ONE AMERICAN, TWO LOCAL EMPLOYEES) IT IMPERATIVE THAT BOTH REO AND COMM ASST PROCEED MISSION AND REMAIN THROUGHOUT. IT ALSO ESSENTIAL THAT REO BE IN DOHA WITH ADVANCEMAN; HOWEVER REO SCHEDULED REGULAR GULF VISIT TO COINCIDE WITH ADVANCEMAN, AND USDOC S AND E NOT RPT NOT BEINUNCHARGED FOR AIR FARE THIS VISIT. SIMILARLY REO WILL REMAIN DOHA AFTER THIS MISSION TO BE PRESENT FOR VISIT COMMUNICATIONS EQUIPMENT MISSION ADVANCEMAN.

3. HAVE CONCLUDED THAT BEST OPERATIONAL PROCEDURE FOR DOHA WILL BE COMBINATION BIC AND SOME OUTSIDE APPOINTMENTS. THUS PLANNED HIRE THREE CARS WITH DRIVERS.

4. SINCE DOHA DRY, RECEPTION PROBABLY WOULD BE NEITHER PRODUCTIVE NOR WELL ATTENDED; THEREFORE HAVE DECIDED BEST JUNCTION WILL BE LUNCHEON SATURDAY TO WHICH ALL PROSPECTS WILL BE INVITED. PRICE (\$9 PER HEAD) RATHER STEEP, BUT LEAST EXPENSIVE BUFFET MENU AVAILABLE AT HOTEL.

5. GIVEN ABOVE S AND E BUDGET \$1150 AND KUWAIT S AND E BUDGET \$1200, ADDITIONAL FUNDING OF \$750 WILL BE NECESSARY ABOVE \$1600 ALREADY FUNDED FOR KUWAIT/QATAR PORTION. REQUEST USDOC TRANSFER \$750 TO AMEMBASSY KUWAIT TO COVER DEFICIT.

6. ALL RESERVATIONS CONFIRMED.

7. MISSION TENTATIVE SCHEDULE FOLLOWS:

APRIL 5, 1974

2000 - ARRIVE DOHA. MET BY EMBASSY OFFICIALS. GULF UNCLASSIFIED

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HOTEL TRANSPORTATION FROM AIRPORT TO HOTEL.

2030 - ARRIVE HOTEL.

2100 - INFORMAL BRIEFING IN DIRECTOR'S SUITE BY CHARGE AND REO.

APRIL 6

0730-1200 - INDIVIDUAL APPOINTMENTS AT BIC OR PLACES OF BUSINESS.

1200-1400 - LUNCHEON RECEPTION AT GULF HOTEL.
1600-1800 - INDIVIDUAL APPOINTMENTS.
EVENING OPEN FOR FREE TIME OR PRIVATE CONTACTS.

APRIL 7

0730-1100 - INDIVIDUAL APPOINTMENTS.
1100-1400 - OPEN FOR PRIVATE CONTACTS, LUNCH, PACKING
AND PAYING HOTEL BILLS.
1400 - MISSION DIRECTOR'S DEBRIEFING.
1510 - DEPART HOTEL FOR AIRPORT.
1620 - DEPART DOHA FOR DUBAI .

8. HAVE VERIFIED GULF AIR PORTION ITI ERARY WITH GULF
AIR SCHEDULE EFFECTIVE APRIL ONE. ONLY CHANGES ARE GF 339
DEPARTS BAHRAIN 1930 VICE 1915, AND GF FLIGHT TO DUBAI
NUMBERED 401 VICE 407.
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